

How to Stop Pop-Up Ads on Google Chrome

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In its Chrome browser, Google does a decent job of keeping pop-up and notifications windows under control. Pop-up windows are interrupting your normal browsing experience. It usually signals something wrong with your default settings.

Google Chrome has a pop-up blocker but no adblocker built-in. Whether you're using Chrome for Mac or PC, here's how to enable the pop-up blocker.

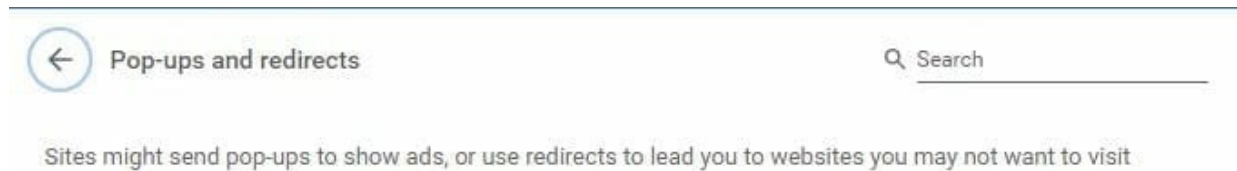


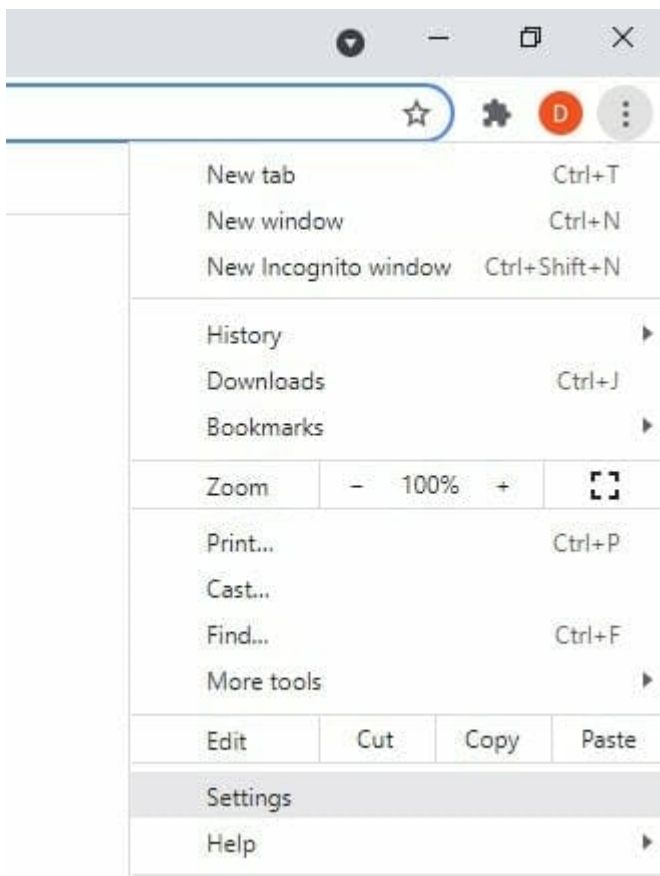
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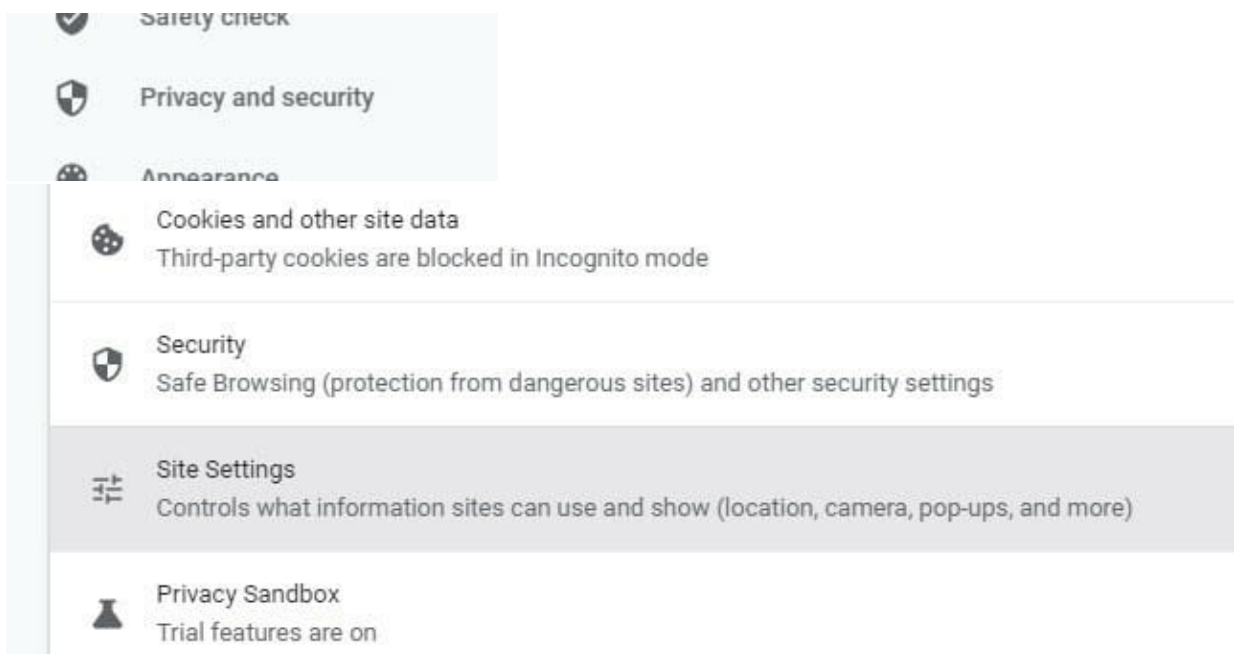
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Enable Pop-Up Blocking in Google Chrome

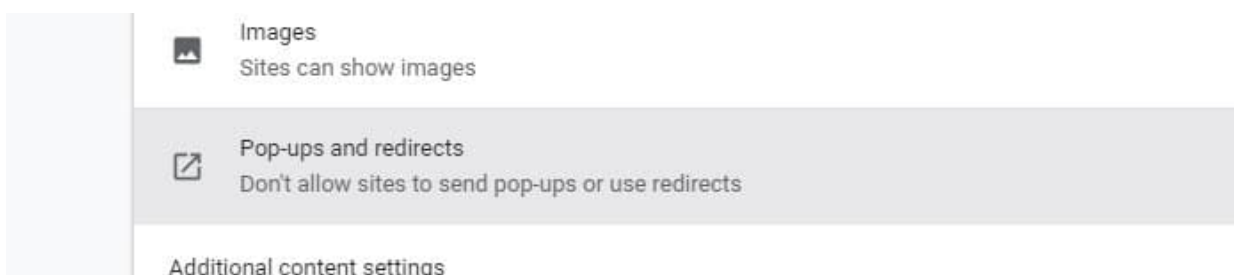
- On your Mac or PC, open the Chrome browser. Select "Settings" from the dropdown menu after clicking the three vertical dots in the top-right corner.



- To see more options, scroll down and click “Advanced,” then scroll down a little more to “Site Settings.” It’s under the heading “Privacy and security.”



- Alternatively, search in chrome settings in chrome “pop.”
- “Pop-ups and redirects” should be selected.



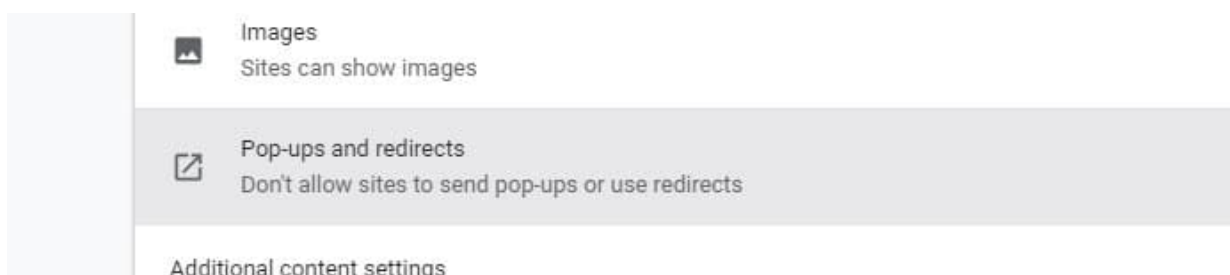
- Ensure the white circle next to “Blocked” is on the left by toggling the switch beside it. “Blocked (recommended)” should be written next to it.



- You can even add particular exceptions here if you like. Pop-ups will appear on sites under the “Allow” area, even if they are blocked elsewhere.
- If you’ve disabled the pop-up blocker, adding sites to the “Block” box will prevent them from appearing even if they’re allowed elsewhere.
- By following the above steps, you will get rid of Frequent pop-ups.

Check Your Approved Sites

- Open settings in chrome. Go to three dots and then settings.
- Now go to site settings in the privacy and security tab.
- It should indicate Blocked under Popups.
- Navigate to the “pop-up and redirects” section.



- Search for the “Allowed to send pop-up and use redirects” option and select Add next to it.



- You will find all the approved websites here.

Add a site



- Add or remove websites as per your need.

Disabling Pop-ups in Google Chrome

- If pop-up advertising annoys you while working on your desktop computer, Chrome lets you disable them, whether it's a PC or a Mac.
- To turn off pop-ups in Chrome on a desktop computer, follow these steps:
- Navigate to the upper right corner of Chrome and click the three dots to access the menu. Select Settings from the drop-down menu.
- Select Privacy and security from the left-hand panel.
- Select Privacy and Preferences.
- Site options can be found by scrolling down.
- Choose from a variety of pop-ups and redirections.
- To disable the pop-up, move the toggle to the off position. The toggle turns grey if it works.
- To block a pop-up in Chrome, turn off the pop-up and redirects.
- Block pop-ups in Chrome on your desktop is as simple as that.

How to Allow Pop-ups on Android?

You can allow pop-ups if you're using Chrome on an Android phone by following these steps:

Launch the Chrome browser.

In the corner (top right) of your screen, tap the three dots. It will open the Chrome menu, where you may bookmark a page, check your history, and do other things.

- After that, go to Settings.
- Scroll to the base of the page and select Site Settings.

Accessibility

Site settings

Languages

- Then select Pop-ups and redirects from the drop-down menu.



JavaScript

Allowed



Pop-ups and redirects

Blocked



Ads

Blocked on some sites

- Finally, disable the Pop-ups and Redirects setting. When it's greyed out, you'll know it's off.



Pop-ups and redir...



Pop-ups and redirects

Block sites from showing pop-ups and
redirects (recommended)



Scan for Malware Programs

To identify and [install an antivirus program](#), such as Malwarebytes Anti-Malware, use Google. The pop-ups you're seeing aren't coming from the websites you're visiting. They could be coming from a piece of bothersome software that's generating problems on your computer. Download and install the antivirus program of your choice.

In Safe Mode, perform a comprehensive system scan.

If nothing comes up, try a couple more apps just to be sure.



[Clario](#), an ad-blocking extension, is more than just a free and simple method to block adverts. Along with the removal of annoying pop-ups and advertisements, Clario protects you from being tracked by websites.

It informs you whether the websites that appear in your search results are safe. If you visit a website that contains harmful links.

Benefits:

- Ad Blocking, adware, and malware prevention in one package.
- Clario's all-in-one solution for privacy & security.
- Don't let websites track your movements.
- This tool will show you which Google search results are safe to open.
- It's simple to set up.

Suppose you install the Clario desktop software and the extension at the same time. You'll also get a VPN, virus protection, and live assistance from cybersecurity experts 24 hours a day, seven days a week. The desktop app is inexpensive and comes with a free trial.

How to Allow Pop-ups on Your Apple Device?

If you're on an iPhone and using Chrome, you can enable pop-ups by following these steps:

- Launch the Chrome browser.
- In the corner (bottom right) of your page, tap the three dots. It will open the Chrome menu, which will allow you to bookmark a page, view your history, and more.
- After that, go to Settings. It features a gear icon and is near the end of the menu.
- Navigate to the Content Settings page. It is near the bottom of the page and includes a gear symbol as well.
- Then choose Block Pop-up from the drop-down menu.
- To allow pop-ups, turn off the toggle. If the toggle is grey, you know it's turned off.

FAQs

Why do pop-ups keep appearing on Chrome?

You may get pop-up windows when using Chrome. It's either because your pop-up blocker isn't configured correctly. Also, another program is bypassing the browser's pop-up blocker. Pop-up blocker software is designed to prevent users from being bothered by annoying pop-up windows.

How do I block pop-ups on Android Chrome?

Start the Chrome application on your Android device. More, Settings, click Site settings, and Pop-ups are the options. Tap the slider to enable or disable pop-ups.